GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4103
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Train on Daily Basis
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to run Bikaner-Kochuveli Express on daily basis and thrice a week via Samdari-Bhildi;

(b) if so, the time by which the said train is likely to run in this manner;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the Government is considering to provide stoppage at Falna railway station to facilitate boarding and de-boarding of a large number of the public of the area; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) to (c) Increase in frequency of 16311/16312 Bikaner-Kochuveli Express from weekly to daily is not feasible, at present, due to operational and resource constraints including path constraints on certain sections enroute.

(d) & (e) At present, provision of stoppage of train No. 16311/16312 Bikaner-Kochuveli Express (weekly) at Falna station is not feasible, as proliferation of stoppages of long distance Mail/Express trains will only decelerate the trains causing inconvenience to the through passengers and adversely affect the punctuality of service.
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